

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 TOKYO 13587 060649Z
ACTION H-03

INFO OCT-01 EA-06 ISO-00 SS-07 NSC-06 AID-01 SSO-00
NSCE-00 /024 W

-----109898 060656Z /20

O R 060622Z SEP 77
FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 820
INFO AMEMBASSY SEOUL
CINCPAC HONOLULU HI
COMUSJAPAN YOKOTA AB JA

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE TOKYO 13587

CINCPAC ALSO FOR POLAD

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: OVIP, JA (GLENN, JOHN)
SUBJECT: CODEL GLENN VISIT TO JAPAN

SUMMARY. SENATOR AND MRS. JOHN GLENN, AND MR. ROY WERNER, SENATOR'S CHIEF LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT ON FOREIGN POLICY, COMPLETED AN UNUSUALLY PRODUCTIVE VISIT TO JAPAN SEPTEMBER 4. DURING THEIR NEARLY TWO-WEEK STAY IN JAPAN, CODEL GLENN CALLED ON FONMIN HATOYAMA AND OTHER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, LEADING POLITICIANS AND BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVES. SENATOR GLENN MET WITH SECRETARY VANCE IN TOKYO TO DISCUSS THE SECRETARY'S JUST-COMPLETED PRC VISIT. SENATOR GLENN ALSO ADDRESSED FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS' CLUB LUNCHEON AND ATTENDED SHIMODA CONFERENCE, WHERE HE DELIVERED MAJOR SPEECH. END SUMMARY.

1. DURING INITIAL PORTION OF CODEL GLENN VISIT (AUGUST 22-27), SENATOR GLENN CALLED ON AMBASSADOR MANSFIELD AND PARTICIPATED EXTENSIVELY IN EMBASSY BRIEFING COVERING ALL MAJOR BILATERAL AND REGIONAL ISSUES. LATER,
LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 TOKYO 13587 060649Z

CODEL GLENN CALLED ON FONMIN HATOYAMA ACCOMPANIED BY AMBASSADOR; DISCUSSED ECONOMIC ISSUES WITH FONOFF, MITI, ECONOMIC PLANNING AGENCY AND KEIDANREN OFFICIALS; MET WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF LDP AND JSP; EXCHANGED VIEWS ON REPROCESSING, NONPROLIFERATION AND JAPAN'S ENERGY REQUIREMENTS WITH FONOFF OFFICIALS; AND DISCUSSED SECURITY ISSUES AT JAPAN DEFENSE AGENCY. DEPUTY FONMIN YOSHINO HASTED A

LUNCHEON IN CODEL'S HONOR; AMBASSADOR MANSFIELD HOSTED DINNER TO WHICH LEADING GOJ OFFICIALS, BUSINESSMEN AND MEDIA COMMENTATORS WERE INVITED. SHORTLY BEFORE LEAVING FOR SEOUL ON AUGUST 27, SENATOR GLENN MET WITH SECRETARY VANCE TO DISCUSS THE SECRETARY'S JUST-COMPLETED PRC VISIT.

2. AFTER SPENDING AUGUST 27-30 IN KOREA (SEOUL 7347), CODEL GLENN RETURNED TO JAPAN FOR SECOND PORTION OF VISIT (AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 4). DURING THIS STAY, SENATOR GLENN ADDRESSED FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS' CLUB PRESS LUNCHEON AND ANSWERED REPORTERS' QUESTIONS (TOKYO 13370). FROM SEPTEMBER 1-4 CODEL GLENN ATTENDED FOURTH JAPANESE-AMERICAN ASSEMBLY (SHIMODA CONFERENCE), WHERE HE GAVE A MAJOR ADDRESS (SEPTEMBER 1) ON "THE ROLE OF THE UNITED STATES IN EAST ASIA: A LEGISLATIVE PERSPECTIVE." HE ALSO READ THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO SHIMODA CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS (STATE 208707).

3. ENGLISH LANGUAGE PRESS GAVE FRONT PAGE COVERAGE TO SENATOR GLENN'S REMARK TO FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS THAT ONE PERCENT OF GNP LIMITATION OF GOJ DEFENSE EXPENDITURES WAS "UNREALISTIC." VERNACULAR PRESS CARRIED BRIEF FRONT PAGE ARTICLES BASED ON SIMILAR THEME IN SENATOR'S SHIMODA SPEECH. NIHON KEIZAI SHIMBUN PUBLISHED LONG INTERVIEW WITH SENATOR GLENN, AND TEN-MINUTE INTERVIEW WITH SENATOR WAS TELEVISED NATIONWIDE ON "STAGE 102," NHK'S EQUIVALENT LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 03 TOKYO 13587 060649Z

OF "THE TODAY SHOW."

4. COMMENT. WE BELIEVE CODEL GLENN'S EXTENDED AND INTENTIONALLY LOW-KEY VISIT TO JAPAN WAS UNUSUALLY PRODUCTIVE IN GETTING ACROSS CURRENT U.S. LEGISLATIVE VIEWS ON A VARIETY OF POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, SCIENTIFIC AND SECURITY ISSUES. IN PARTICULAR, HIS REMARKS ON NUCLEAR REPROCESSING AND JAPANESE DEFENSE SPENDING WERE SUPPORTIVE OF EMBASSY DIALOGUE WITH GOJ ON THESE ISSUES.
MANSFIELD

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Sent Date: 06-Sep-1977 12:00:00 am
Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 22 May 2009
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1977TOKYO13587
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D770321-0824
Format: TEL
From: TOKYO
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1977/newtext/t19770993/aaaadat1.tel
Line Count: 105
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 9b4f034d-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION H
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 17-Feb-2005 12:00:00 am
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 1372979
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: CODEL GLENN VISIT TO JAPAN SUMMARY. SENATOR AND MRS. JOHN GLENN, AND MR. ROY WERNER, SENATOR'S CHIEF LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT ON F
TAGS: OVIP, JA, (GLENN, JOHN)
To: STATE
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/9b4f034d-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
22 May 2009
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009